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COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

To Be Held at Presbyterian Church, Monett, Thursday and Friday, August 19-20.

All Sunday schools in the county are expected to send delegates to the County Sunday School convention to be held August 19 and 20 at Monett. Plans are now being completed for the convention and Sunday school workers over the county and the officers of the County association are looking forward at one of the most successful conventions ever held in the county.

H. W. Becker and Lottie May Bose, two of the leading State workers are to be present and take part in every session of the convention. It will be worth while to hear these leaders who are devoting all of their time to this work. The program of the convention follows:

Thursday Morning, Aug. 19.
Registration of delegates.
Praise service, Rev. L. C. Stumpf.
Devotionals, Rev. A. R. Wallace.
Getting the Most Out of This Convention, Geo. J. C. Wilhelm.

If Ye Endure, H. W. Becker, St. Louis.
The Girl and Her Sunday school, Miss Lottie May Bose, St. Louis.
Noon Recess.

Thursday afternoon.
Praise Service, Rev. L. C. Stumpf.
Devotional, Rev. Elmo St. Louis.
The Four-fold Life, Lottie May Bose.
The Adult Class, H. W. Becker.
The Greatest Need in My School, Mrs. J. S. McQueen, Wheaton.
The Best Thing in My School, Mrs. J. S. Foster, Seligman.

Appropriate Music in the Sunday School, Mrs. C. A. Rose, Purdy.
The Sunday school as a Boy Sees it, Fred Daniels, Pioneer.
Report of County Officers.
Appointment of Committees.
Adjournment.

MONETT PUBLIC SCHOOL TO OPEN SEPTEMBER 6

The Monett public school will open Monday, September 6. A strong faculty has been secured for this year's work and the prospects are for a good school year.

In the high school teachers who are specialists in their respective departments, have been secured. A home Economics branch will be introduced this year and equipment to the amount of \$1,500 has been spent for this work. Athletics promises to be active again this year and literary activities will receive the encouragement of the faculty.

Separate conferences led by H. W. Becker, Lottie May Bose, E. N. Meador, Harold J. Harper.

Thursday Evening.
Praise Service, Rev. L. C. Stumpf.
Devotionals, Rev. J. F. King.
Either Or, or Both—And, Lottie Mae Bose.
Male Quartette.
The Father, the Mother and Child, H. W. Becker.
Adjournment.

Friday Morning.
Meeting of Committees.
Praise Service, Rev. L. C. Stumpf.
Devotionals, Mrs. C. E. Whitlatch.
Through-the-week Activities, Lottie Mae Bose.
Opportunities, E. N. Meador, Cassville.

The Union Sunday School, J. M. Alvey.
The Personality of the Teacher, H. W. Becker.
Report of Committees.
Noon Recess.

Friday afternoon.
Meeting of County Officers.
Praise Service, Rev. L. C. Stumpf.
Devotionals, Rev. B. Berryhill.
Reaching the Goal, H. W. Becker.
Lake Geneva and Leadership, Harold J. Harper, Purdy.
Making a Life, Lottie Mae Bose.
Address, H. W. Becker.

MONETT'S NEW THEATRE TO OPEN AUGUST 14

The Rialto, Just Completed, the Handsomest Play House in this part of The State. Will Seat 750.

Monett's new theatre, the Rialto, said to be the handsomest play house in this part of the state, will be opened on the afternoon of Saturday, August 14. The new theatre is owned by the Rialto Theatre Company, composed of A. W. Sturgis, O. W. Williams and E. S. Maggs.

The new theatre occupies the building formerly occupied by the Bijou Theatre. The building has been extended back to the alley and the second story has been eliminated, giving the room a high ceiling. The floor space is about 50 by 125.

In the rear is a large stage, 23 by 50 feet in size, which will accommodate almost any company on the road. The main floor is inclined at such an angle that every person in the room will be able to see the stage without obstruction of the view. The ceiling is supported by arches, eliminating the posts.

A modern ventilating system has been installed to insure fresh and cool air. A modern heating plant has also been provided.

The lobby and interior decorations are beautiful. The decorating is being done by August Wendt of St. Louis. Mr. Wendt enjoys a national reputation in his line of work. He decorated the Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh, Pa., the Congressional Library, at Washington, D. C. and many large churches and theatres in all parts of the country.

The lobby of the theatre is decorated in Florentine marble and oil paint. The walls are covered with wall coverings. The entrance is in the center of the lobby, with exits on either side.

The walls of the main room are tinted in old rose with panels of ivory and delicate green and gold. The side lights bear rose colored silk shades.

The arched ceiling is in ivory with conventional design in rose and gold. Massive light fixtures make a beautiful indirect lighting which brings out the beauty of the room.

The ornamental plaster work, which makes a lovely finish for the decorative scheme, was the work of a Kansas City firm.

The Rialto management will use their theatre for both movie and road shows. The first entertainments will be movies and later in the season high class musical and vaudeville companies will appear.

As it is now arranged the theatre will seat 750 people. Balconies may be added later as the need for more seating room grows.

The new theatre will be a source of pride to Monett and it will draw parties from the towns and country around. Instead of Monett people going to Springfield and Joplin to see the best shows, they will have them right at home and the other towns will help supply the patronage.

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MONETT TO PLAY ROGERS TEAM, SUNDAY

The Monett Midgets will play the Rogers, Ark., base ball team here, Sunday, August 8. The game will be called at 3 o'clock.

Rogers has won nine out of the last ten games played this season and defeated Springfield, Fayetteville and others of the strongest amateur teams in Arkansas.

PLEASANT DALE

A. L. Beeman, of Muskogee, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hayse. His daughters, Misses Corrine and Catherine, who have spent several weeks visiting here, returned home with him Monday.

Miss Ruby Miller and Lewis McCormick visited Bertha and Hazel McCormick, Sunday afternoon.

John Planchon made a business trip to Roogy Comfort, Monday.

W. T. McCormick took twenty-two head of fat cattle to a stock buyer in Peirce City, Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Schlinkman and baby and Ruth Trent, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Memphis, Tenn., came the first of the week to visit Mr. S. B. Timmons.

KINGS PRAIRIE

Rain is needed for corn and vegetation.

The primary election passed off quietly on the Prairie with some scratching.

B. S. Stribling has just returned from a weeks visit at Cedar Gap and Springfield. He reports heavy rains last Saturday. He also attended the two-days convention of the Lawrence County Sunday School Association at Marionville.

J. M. Beyer's broken arm is mending slowly. He was able to act as one of the judges of election.

This dry weather is helping the chinch bugs. If there is anything they like better it is another corn patch.

Public school will soon begin with Oscar Jackson at the helm. Mr. Jackson seemed to give general satisfaction at the last term.

Miss Grace McClanahan is visiting friends on the Prairie.

Edgar Jackson had the misfortune to lose his house and barn, south of the Prairie, one day last week.

J. T. Spencer and daughter Mabel went to Paris Springs where Miss Mabel will remain for a few weeks.

Miss Alma McCormick visited friends on the Prairie, Sunday.

MT. GROVE

A nice rain fell Sunday morning which was badly needed.

B. F. Smith was a Purdy visitor Saturday afternoon.

Miss Helen Jackson called on her cousin, Miss Ruth Marbut, Sunday. H. D. Willis visited his sister, Mrs. Myrtle Smith, Sunday.

Mrs. Bob Ethridge is on the sick list this week.

The chinch bugs are doing considerable damage to corn in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jackson visited Mrs. Jackson's sister Mrs. Bob Ethridge, who is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jackson attended the sale at Monett, Monday.

T. G. Morlan was a Cassville visitor Sunday.

Mt. Grove school opened Monday, August 2, with twenty scholars in attendance.

Mrs. Bertha Clement has purchased a new Victrola.

Little Ernest Smith has been on the sick list, but is improving now.

FISHING TACKLE

Just what you need on your vacation.

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NOTICE TO CITIZENS

All weeds on streets, alleys, residence and vacant lots must be cut immediately or arrests will be made in accordance with the city ordinance 99tf

Joe Jackson, Chief of Police

A recent letter received from R. D. Traubner, of Swan Valley, Idaho, states that he and his wife are the parents of a son, R. D. Jr., who arrived April 8. He said they were having very hot weather and were needing rain very badly. They had a frost the first part of July which killed their potatoes down to the ground but they are looking nice now.

Call in at D. L. Stone's Tailor Shop and see the patterns for your new winter suit. Order it early and save money. 241tm

THE FARM BUREAU MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

Lawrence County is the 60th County To Co-operate with the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation.

The big membership drive of Lawrence County Farm Bureau which is being conducted jointly by live wide-awake farmers of Lawrence County and the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, begins Monday morning August 9th. One week is given to each by the State Federation. On Saturday night of next week, every farmer in the county will have been seen on his farm by real farmer solicitors, who know the Farm Bureau work in all its developments, County, State and National.

The solicitors, or membership men, are employed by the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation and are all actual farmers who are giving some of their time this year to membership campaigns in Iowa and Missouri. In every township in the county next Monday morning, one of the veteran solicitors, will be placed with local farmers to accompany him and furnish the solicitors whatever information and assistance is necessary. A chairman of the drive has been named in each of the 15 townships whose duty it is to see that some farmer, or perhaps two or three men, go out each day with the solicitor.

The State Federation does not furnish the trained solicitors unless these local arrangements are all made by the county conducting the drive. The Farmers of Lawrence County have been getting ready for this membership campaign for several weeks. An immense amount of advertising space has been used to tell the people how extensive the Farm Bureau has come to be within the last two years.

There are more than thirty-five States now maintaining state Federation of Farm Bureaus. Missouri has the unique honor of having the oldest state federation in the United States. Our federation last winter during the session of the general assembly, was instrumental in getting more farm legislation enacted than had ever been the case before. And this was done because the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, for the first time in the history of the State, maintained a legislative agent at Jefferson City. The State Federation was heard from to the report of the daylight saving law. Its officers are busy at all times collecting information on legislative matters both at Jefferson City and at Washington. Right now the Executive Committee of the Missouri Federation is recommending to the Missouri delegates at Washington that it oppose to the utmost limit the Ralston Act, which aims to transfer the tax on profits to the land of the country.

This recommendation goes to Washington through the office of the American Farm Bureau Federation, which is the great National Organization to attend legislative, economic and industrial affairs of the farmer.

The Farm Bureau is now and has in fact been for two years merely a county affair. Any farmer who joins the Lawrence County Farm Bureau supports the State Federation, and also the American Farm Bureau Federation. Those men who have watched the rise and fall of one and another organization are unanimous in opinion that the farm bureau in its county, state and national organizations, has the most perfect plan of organization that has ever been devised. All county problems of soil, stock, home affairs, boys' and girls' club work, better farming and greater profits, are worked out through county farm bureau. State questions of legislation, distribution of products, marketing of products, farmer representation on and before the various state departments, are subjects too large for a county to control, so that the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation stands to step in at this place. But for the great National question, such as packer control, railroad readjustment, transportation of farm products freight rates and ocean carrying rates there stands the giant organization, the American Farm Bureau Federation, ready to speak for the farmer, and let the world know what the producer really wants relative to his business.

This is the kind of an organization every farmer in Lawrence County will have a chance to join next week.

How do you like your increased assessments? See M. J. Hale for 20 Pay Life Insurance. 77tf

CELEBRATE 77TH BIRTHDAY OF GRANDMA BERRYHILL

On Wednesday afternoon, August 4, the neighbors of Rev. and Mrs. Berryhill, to the number of forty-five went to the Waldensian manse, two miles south of Monett and gave Mr. Berryhill's mother, Grandma Berryhill, a very pleasant surprise in honor of her seventy-seventh birthday.

Many beautiful and useful presents were left behind to remind Mrs. Berryhill of this delightful occasion. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR FRED WEBER

A number of young folks gathered at the home of Fred Weber on Kings Prairie, Wednesday night, July 28, in honor of his twenty-first birthday. Mr. Weber is very popular with the young people of his community.

Ice cream and cake were served to the following: Misses Gladys Jackson, Norma Dummit, Bessie Carter, Mildred and Georgia Stribling, Dorothy Latschaw, Beulah Nunn, Magdelene Nunn, Catherine Schirmer and Susan Day, of Springfield; Messrs. Floyd Carter, Arthur Dummit, Albert Schirmer, Harve Burr, Otto Caldwell, Troy Stribling, John and Allen Long, Orville Latschaw, Eli Balmas, Raymond Pharis, Rolla, Fred and Clarence Weber, Chester and Stanley Powell, Roy Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simmons and daughter.

The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games and music. elienMadot RoFORd nuu ad ill

STRIBLING SISTERS ENTERTAIN FOR FRIEND

Misses Mildred and Georgia Stribling entertained at their home, Friday evening, July 23 a number of young folks in honor of their friend, Miss Susan Day, who has been visiting them the past few days. The evening was spent in playing games and in music.

Light refreshments were served to the following: Misses Gladys Jackson, Bessie Carter, Bernice Carter, Mabel Spencer, Mary Powell, Susan Day, Mildred and Georgia Stribling; Messrs. Rolla and Clarence Weber, Orville Latschaw, Chester and Stanley Powell.

MONETT COUPLE MARRIED AT CARTHAGE

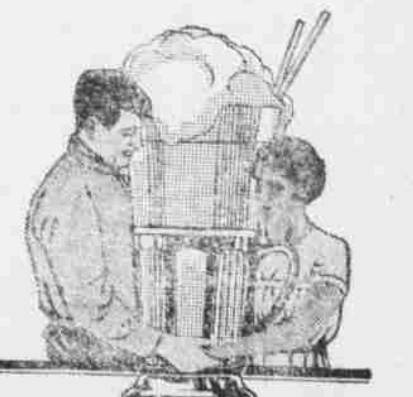
Miss Catherine Swaffer and A. M. Henderson, of Monett, were married at Carthage at 8 o'clock, Wednesday morning, August 4. They were married by the pastor of the Baptist church at his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson have returned to Monett and will make their home at 285 Fifth street.

The bride is a daughter of M. and Mrs. S. H. Swaffer, who live below Purdy. Mr. Henderson is a German on the Prisco, working out of Monett.

Strictly fancy baked goods, 25 cents a dozen or 2 for 45c. LSH'S 19tf

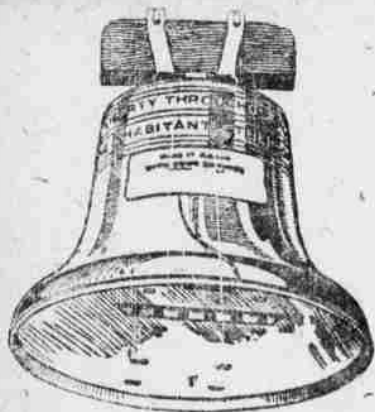
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